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## **REMARKS**

Favorable consideration of this application, as presently amended, is respectfully requested.

The present preliminary amendment is submitted to place Claim 8 in proper form as a multiple dependent claim.

The present application is believed to be in condition for a full and thorough examination on the merits. An early and favorable consideration of the present application is hereby respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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## IN THE CLAIMS

- --8. (Amended) The communication apparatus as claimed in claims 1 [-7] or 2, further comprising:
- a part which autonomously determines which pattern is used in which a plurality of patterns of said zone which is said service area of said base station are prepared.--